



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)

Name: Guenter W. Brune et al.)

Serial No. 10/828,391)

Filed: April 19, 2004)

For: FLUX PLANE LOCATING IN AN
UNDERGROUND DRILLING SYSTEM)

Examiner: Reena Aurora

Art Group: 2862

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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

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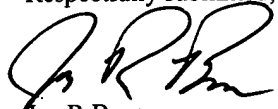
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Respectfully submitted,


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